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Transmitted herewith for filing is the reissue application of
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Enclosed are:

- ☒ 8 pages of U.S. Patent No. 6,365,653 including claims (double column format)
- ☒ Executed Reissue Declaration and Power of Attorney (original)

- ☒ Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Previously submitted Substitute Amendment dated September 19, 2001
- ☒ Written Assent by Assignee
- ☒ Request for Abstract of Title
- ☒ Information Disclosure Statement

Filing Fee Calculation:


Claims as Filed and as Amended							
Basic Fee							\$770.00
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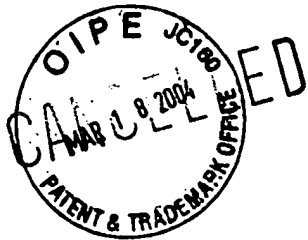
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REQUEST FOR ABSTRACT OF TITLE

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Please prepare a certified Abstract of Title in respect of the above-identified original patent for placing in the official file of the Reissue Application which is filed herewith.

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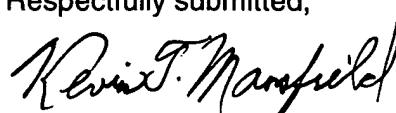
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